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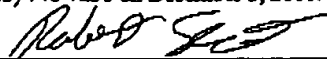
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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of Examiner Banankhah, mailed November 21, 2001 rejecting claims 1-10.

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